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With temps on the rise, so are tempers

After bloody first week of summer, experts say studies show crime spiking in hot weather is no myth ◐ Police official: Mandatory cop vacations also at issue {page 04}

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Wildlife. Wolf-dog

▶ Neighbors of Pennypack Park wondered yesterday if this beast isn't the only one wandering the park.

Philadelphia now has its own version of Sasquatch, though the city's woodland creature is much less elusive. Some Rhawnhurst residents and at least one television station have captured on film and in photos what state wildlife officials believe is a wolf-dog hybrid — half wolf, half dog. Those who live on the edge of Pennypack Park say the animal seems docile, even shy. Authorities have so far been unable to catch it. {page 02}

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Philly has own Bigfoot

Wolf-dog hybrid seen wandering edge of Pennypack Park draws crowd State officials come in for beast whose origin is unknown

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State officials believe the animal is a wolf-dog hybrid that someone may have let free.

In March, residents of Algon Avenue in Rhawnhurst first noticed a wolf-like creature grazing in nearby Pennypack Park, but until recently it was just watercooler talk.

"It seems very tame. The only time I was worried for people is if they're going up to it," said resident Leanne Ticconi. "I don't know what they're thinking going up to it."

Neighbors yesterday were joined by a small crowd of media and inquisitive onlookers who slowed down in their cars, walked along the block or even brought food to get a glimpse of what officials are calling a wolf-dog hybrid. State gaming officials were called in the past week, but there have been no reports of attacks on humans or pets.

"It just got out of hand through the public, through the media," said David Ticconi. "There's no little pets or children missing."

"If it was up to us, we'd keep it there," added neighbor Darlene Torres. "We don't feed it, we just watch it."

The animal is grey and about the size of a German shepherd, roughly 3 or 4 feet tall, neighbors said. Recently, it has come into the residential area and even been spotted going through some residents' trash. Some have even speculated that there is more than one.

"As they leave, one pops out over here, one pops out over there," David Ticconi said, pointing to a wooded area.

While deer and other animal sightings are pretty common in the Northeast, the news was still unusual for some.

"We were anticipating seeing it, thought it would be intriguing," said Jean Geiger, who rides her bicycle in the area but had not yet seen the creature. "I would love to photograph it, put it on Facebook. It's some good news for a change."

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Tranquilizer hot dog fails to work

In addition to state game officials, workers from the Wolf Sanctuary in Lititz have been on the scene trying to catch the creature with a combination of tranquilizers and leashes.

On Monday, wildlife specialists gave the creature a hot dog laced with tranquilizers, but it still managed to retreat into the woods. They were expected to return last night to make another attempt.

Officials said the animal likely belonged to someone and escaped or was released. Once the creature is caught and its DNA tested to determine its origin, it will be turned over to a state-licensed facility. METRO/SDL

"As they leave, one pops out over here, one pops out over there."
DAVID TICCONI, ON THERE POSSIBLY BEING MULTIPLE ANIMALS

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Locals set up cameras trying to get shots of the wolf-dog leaving the woods.

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"Voter ID, which is going to allow Gov. Romney to win the state of Pennsylvania — done."
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In the news

Piazza arrest
The suspect in the shooting death of an Upper Darby man outside a bar at the Piazza at Schmidt's apartment complex in Northern Liberties earlier this month was arrested in Texas near the city of Houston, according to authorities last night. Steven Miller, 22, was arrested by U.S. Marshals and will be flown back to Philadelphia. METRO

No bikinis allowed on Asbury Park boardwalk?

NEW JERSEY. A former city councilwoman and chair of the local Republican party is attempting to enforce a 19th-century ordinance in Asbury Park banning bathing suits from the boardwalk, The Star-Ledger (New Jersey) reported yesterday.

Louise Murray, 74, told the paper she is worried the lack of enforcement is a threat to Asbury Park's reputation as a "classy" shore town. "I understand that social things have changed," Murray said. "But forget that. Just put a shirt on."

Deputy Mayor John Loffredo said the city doesn't have the resources to enforce the law. "We're not going to have cops on the boardwalk enforcing that," he said. "It's not going to happen." METRO/AW

BERARD LARMA/METRO

Shirt and shorts required?

Burning, bound, dead body found in NE Philly

NORTHEAST PHILADELPHIA. Firefighters made a grisly discovery in Rhawnhurst early yesterday morning when, after extinguishing what they thought was a trash fire in a wooded area on the 5500 block of Newtown Avenue, they found a body, police said.

The unidentified man, who was tied to a fence with a wire, was so badly burned his identifying features couldn't be distinguished, according to investigators.

5 People shot Monday night and early yesterday morning in four separate incidents

The homicide unit is conducting an investigation. METRO/AW

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Could convicted priest flee to Vatican City?

RIKARD LARMA/METRO

▶ Lynn

Might it take an act of God to keep Monsignor William Lynn, convicted of child endangerment last week in the clergy sex abuse case, out of jail — perhaps an act of the pope?

Lynn's request for house arrest was delayed yesterday over concerns from Common Pleas Court Judge Teresa Sarmina that Lynn might attempt to flee to Vatican City. Under sentencing guidelines, Lynn could face between three and a half years to seven years in prison when he is sentenced Aug. 13.

Sarmina instructed prosecutors to look into whether Lynn could waive extradition if he fled to the Vatican and whether the Vatican would comply. Defense attorneys strongly rejected the notion that the 61-year-old former secretary of clergy for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia would duck out before sentencing.

"I don't want to speak for him but I will, my guess is the last place in the world he wants to be right now is the Vatican," attorney Tom Bergstrom said after the hearing. "Why would he want to go to the Vatican? ... He's not going to the Vatican. It's idiotic." METRO/SDL

RIKARD LARMA/METRO

▶ Ross said officers' vacations also play a role in summer crime.

Guns aren't only heat behind crime

It's a sentiment so common it's become cliche: The mercury starts rising and the crime rate does, too. A week into summer, Philadelphia has already experienced spikes in both, with temperatures reaching 97 degrees and at least 24 injured — five fatally — in 15 separate attacks between Saturday and early yesterday alone.

"Historically, the summer months have been most problematic, beginning around April when it starts to warm and continuing, in most cases, to October," said Deputy Commissioner Kevin Bethel.

Veteran criminologist Ellen Cohn said the temperature-crime connection is not specific to Philadelphia. "We've done different studies in different states and countries — I'm working with a colleague in New Zealand using data from South Africa and we're still seeing a correlation there," she said.

Cohn and Scott Sheridan, editor of the International Journal of Biometerology, are proponents of "routine activity" theory, which dictates that crime occurs when three factors converge: a motivated offender, a suitable target and the absence of a capable guardian.

Those factors, Cohn said, are more likely to come together when people deviate from their routines, partially explaining why crime rises when schools let out or when people are more likely to go on vacation. "A lot of crime is impulsive, it's opportunistic," she said. "If you're at work or if you're in a classroom, the opportunities aren't there, the motivation's not there and the target's not there because there are capable guardians around."

"We believe it may be most related to the increased social interaction between people."
SHERIDAN

But she said that the theory can't account for all temperature-related violence spikes. "Even though there's less crime at 3 o'clock, when there are routine activities, than at 10 o'clock, there's more crime at 3 when it's hot than when it's cool and more crime at 10 when it's hot than when it's cool. It appears heat is still a factor when choosing to commit crimes."

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Philly police vacations also spike

The department's second highest-ranking official said yesterday that fewer officers are on the street during the summer due to vacations.

"We worry about summer in the PPD for other reasons," Deputy Police Commissioner Richard Ross said. "Because of work rules, we have to give everybody summer vacation between May and September 30, so that clearly suggests we're going to have fewer people on the street." METRO/AW

Crime. Dog tortured

▶ Animal control officers are hunting for the person who burned this female pit bull to death.

PSPCA

Reward increased in burned dog death

The Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is now offering $1,000 for any information leading to the arrest of the human being who so cruelly lit a dog on fire during the weekend and left it to die in East Germantown. Veterinarians tried saving its life after it was rescued in the 700 block of Gray Street, but it succumbed to its painful and extensive burns Monday evening, the SPCA said. Call the animal cruelty hot line at 1-866-601-SPCA.

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News Corp. may split into two

News Corp. is considering breaking up the company into two publicly held entities after a phone-hacking scandal at its U.K. newspapers increased pressure to cordon off the publishing business.

Rupert Murdoch, News Corp.'s chairman and CEO, is overseeing internal discussions on whether to split publishing from the New York-based company's entertainment business, said two people with knowledge of the matter, who asked not to be identified because a decision isn't final.

Murdoch is contemplating the breakup — a move some investors have sought for years — after a hacking scandal threatened the company's holdings in satellite-TV company British Sky Broadcasting Group Plc. **BLOOMBERG**

President wants your wedding gifts

Hey, engaged couples: Forget registering at William Sonoma or Bed, Bath & Beyond — President Obama wants you to remember that there are more important things in life than asking your wedding guests to buy you ice cream makers and George Foreman grills — you know, like donating money to his re-election campaign.

That's right, if you don't want your guests spending money of you for your upcoming wedding, President Obama encourages you to ask them to spend it on him instead. His official website BarackObama.com has rolled out the Obama Event Registry.

"Let your friends know how important this election is to you — register with Obama 2012, and ask for a donation in lieu of a gift. It's a great way to support the President on your big day. Plus, it's a gift that we can all appreciate—and goes a lot further than a gravy bowl," the site says.

Critics took to the comment forum to voice their displeasure at the president's registry proposal, though many comments have been deleted.

"Is this what the office of the President of the United States has come to? Pandering for wedding and birthday money?" one person asked.

"Won't be long before we start seeing, "In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Bo's re-election campaign or another party with the hollywood elite for our celebrity-inc-chief and his family," another person added. **METRO**

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▶ Forget the blender. Donate your gifts to Obama's campaign.

Dems cancel costly party

Democrats canceled a political convention kickoff event at the Charlotte Motor Speedway and will move the activities to Charlotte's main business district.

"While we regret having to move CarolinaFest away from our great partners at the Charlotte Motor Speedway and the city of Concord, we are thrilled with the opportunity that comes with hosting this event in Uptown Charlotte," said Dan Murrey, the executive director of the Charlotte in 2012 Convention Host Committee.

The move comes as party planners are grappling with a fundraising deficit of roughly $27 million, according to two people familiar with the matter who requested anonymity. With a party ban on direct contributions from corporations, the host committee has raised less than $10 million, well short of its $36.6 million goal. **BLOOMBERG**

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Hunter tells of split as book goes on sale

NEW YORK. Rielle Hunter said yesterday — the same day her tell-all memoir was released — that she is no longer in a relationship with former Senator John Edwards.

Hunter, 48, whose affair with Edwards wrecked his presidential ambitions, told ABC's "Good Morning America" she and Edwards had split but would continue to see each other as they share parenting duties of their now 4-year-old daughter, Frances Quinn Hunter.

REUTERS

Facebook gets first woman board member

SAN FRANCISCO. Facebook Inc. named Chief Operating Officer Sheryl Sandberg a director yesterday, elevating the first woman to a board that includes seven men.

For years one of the most vocal critics of the gender imbalance in Silicon Valley's executive ranks, Sandberg, 42, joined Facebook in 2008 and played a central role in guiding the social networking company to its $16 billion IPO in May.

Her promotion comes as Facebook seeks to cultivate a more mature image as opposed to the college dorm-room startup reputation that has dogged the company since Harvard dropout Mark Zuckerberg founded it in 2004.

REUTERS

Tape of Sandusky son alleging abuse released

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▶ Shortly after jury deliberations began, a lawyer for Matt Sandusky said the adopted son had met with prosecutors to tell them that he, too, had been sexually abused by the former coach, despite his previous denials.

Jerry Sandusky's adult adopted son told police he had lied to a grand jury when he denied being sexually abused by the former Penn State University assistant football coach and said he was coming forward so his family would know the truth, according to a tape of his police interview aired by NBC yesterday.

Matt Sandusky, 33, said in the interview with police in Pennsylvania he was molested by Jerry Sandusky, 68, off and on from ages 8 to 15 and tried to cope by escaping from his new family's home and attempting to commit suicide.

Jerry Sandusky was convicted in a closely watched trial by a jury in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania, last Friday on 45 child sex abuse charges linked to the sexual abuse of 10 boys over a 15-year period, sometimes at Penn State facilities.

"I know that I really wanted to die at that point in time."

MATT SANDUSKY, WHO WAS ADOPTED AT AGE 18 BY JERRY SANDUSKY AND HIS WIFE DOTTIE AFTER LIVING WITH THEM AS A FOSTER CHILD, TOLD POLICE

Jerry Sandusky is "not a beaten man. He is pacing a cell right now, being held in solitary confinement, wanting to get out and get his story out and continue to defend himself," his attorney Karl Rominger told NBC.

"I don't think Jerry believes he has anything to feel sorry for. At this point, he maintains his innocence adamantly," Rominger said. **REUTERS**

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Pregnancy the No. 1 killer of teen girls

Teenage pregnancy is responsible for more than a million deaths each year in the developing world, according to a new report from Save the Children.

The relief group found that 50,000 teenage mothers die during childbirth, making it the leading cause of death for this age group worldwide, and a further 79,000 die from related causes. The group estimates that 900,000 babies die as a result of being born to teenage parents, as they are more likely to suffer disease or malnourishment.

"The issue of children having children — and dying because their bodies are too immature to deliver the baby — is a global scandal," said Save the Children's Chief Executive, Justin Forsyth. "This is a tragedy not just for those girls, but also for their children: Babies are 60 percent more likely to die if their mother is under 18."

The report calls for girls to receive sex education from the age of 10 in developing countries, despite cultural barriers. One of the key recommendations is that young mothers allow two years between pregnancies.

"Where we can reach young girls in time, education does have an impact," Save the Children Advocacy Officer Kathryn Rawe told Metro. General schooling also made a crucial difference — with girls in developing countries 20 percent more likely to use contraception if they completed secondary school.

Ahead of the London Summit on Family Planning in July, the group are calling for an additional $4 billion investment to reach the 222 million women who have no access to contraception or family planning services.

British International Development Secretary Andrew Mitchell said, "It is a shocking fact that pregnancy can be a death sentence for many girls in the developing world." He said the summit aims to "cut in half the number of girls and women who want contraception but are unable to access it." METRO WORLD NEWS

▶ At 9 months pregnant

Gorma Farmah, 13, lives with her mother in the rural village in Bong County, Liberia. "My boyfriend is 16 and I was 12. He abandoned me as soon as I got pregnant. He tried to deny that the baby was his and rejected me. I have no idea how I will make money to look after my child. ... I am at school now in Grade 5, but I think I will need to drop out to look after my baby. Before becoming pregnant, I had no idea what a condom or contraceptive pill was or that I could prevent myself from becoming pregnant."

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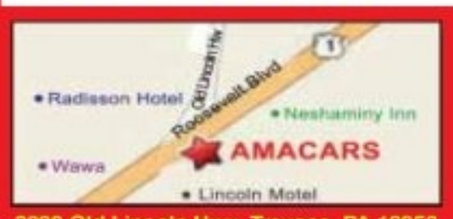

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John Stamos wants to settle down — really

▶ Attention New York: John Stamos is lonely, and doesn't usually do this type of thing.

John Stamos has a reputation as a smooth-talking party boy, but the actor insists this isn't the case.

"I try not to get trapped into everybody's image of who they think I am or who I should be," he tells Celebuzz. "I'm a guy that wants to be in a relationship and should be in a relationship. Sometimes I'm afraid of it because I don't want to let people down. You don't want to disappoint people."

This guy occupied Uncle Jesse's leather pants for the better part of the '90s. He can't possibly tell us that there is not an army of twentysomethings lining up to look in his sparkly green eyes and be disappointed. Or can he?

"You think I'm in New York, playing around. I sometimes feel the responsibility to be that guy," says Stamos, who is in the city shooting a film when not perfecting his sensitive, misunderstood act. "[But] I've been in New York for five weeks now, and I've gone to bed by myself."

John Stamos, did you just use this page to send out your bat signal of a booty call? We're truly honored.

Galifianakis set to tie the knot

▶ Galifianakis

Zach Galifianakis is making it official with long-term girlfriend **Quinn Lundberg** this summer. After a quiet engagement, the couple set a date for Aug. 11, reports Celebuzz. The actor is, apparently, aware that his 29-year-old ballerina fiancee is a little out of his league. "Zach included a drawing of himself and his bride-to-be [with the invitation]. He made sure he looked like a little troll, while Quinn is a stunning tall blonde princess," a source tells the site.

As for their registry, it's very Hollywood PC with charity donations — and Anthropologie sheet sets, because they are human, after all.

Louis CK isn't sorry

Louis C.K.'s tweets about Sarah Palin may have lost him a gig hosting the White House Correspondents' Dinner, but the comedian has no regrets. "It's caused me some problems that I wrote s— about her," C.K. admitted while promoting his series for FX, "Louis," on the "Today" show Monday. "But … why not, man? She's just a person. I don't think she's some sacred person."

We're still amazed that someone considered Louis C.K. — possibly the only person willing to mine child abuse for any overlooked laughs — for a gig at the White House. Short of maybe Cookie Monster, there's no one who observes fewer societal norms.

Talking points

Kutcher and Kunis out and about

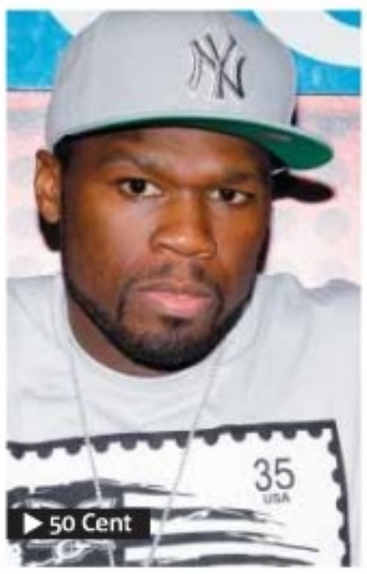
Ashton Kutcher and **Mila Kunis** were spotted out at another dinner together, this time hitting up the chic Giorgio Baldi in Los Angeles, according to TMZ. The pair was spotted sneaking out the back door and into the back of a waiting town car, and Kunis was wearing a rather slinky little black dress. But despite the regular dinner dates and a trip out of town together in April, the actress insists that she and Kutcher are just friends.

Tatum denies stealing moves

Channing Tatum is laughing off allegations from two of his former stripping colleagues that he'd stolen their moves for "Magic Mike," his new film about male exotic dancers. "It's stripping. I don't think anybody has copyrighted any of the moves, and if so I'd be shocked," Tatum tells Hollyscoop. "This movie has nothing factual in it other than I was a 19-year-old kid going into this world. Everything is fictional."

Get well soon, 50 Cent!

Rapper **50 Cent** was hospitalized in New York on Tuesday after sustaining injuries in a car accident on the Long Island Expressway. A report on the rapper's website claims his SUV was read-ended by a Mack truck, causing it to nearly flip over. 50 Cent "was taken to New York Hospital Queens where he was treated for minor neck and back injuries," his rep tells the New York Daily News. "He was released this morning and is doing fine."



▶ 50 Cent

New guy for the 'New Girl'

More than six months after her separation from husband **Ben Gibbard**, it looks like **Zooey Deschanel** is ready for romance again, as she was spotted at the "Magic Mike" premiere after-party with screenwriter **Jamie Linden**, according to Us Weekly. "Jamie's a really nice guy," a source says. "He's funny and a little geeky. He's into her." And apparently she's into him, as the couple held hands for most of the party, sources say.

The feed ...

▶ Checking in with some of Hollywood's biggest names to see what they've been up to — in their own words, in 140 characters or fewer.

Today, Kelly Clarkson is enjoying some time off, Tom Arnold is counting it, Oprah Winfrey is not considering a career change and Garry Shandling isn't expecting any close encounters.

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I'm having the best vacation ever in Ireland! Just bought a Polaroid camera and having way too much fun!

@TomArnold
Flying over Iowa. Does this count as a visit with my dad?

@Oprah
could I be a nun? Ahhh a little late for that now! But even so, NOT my calling.

@GarryShandling
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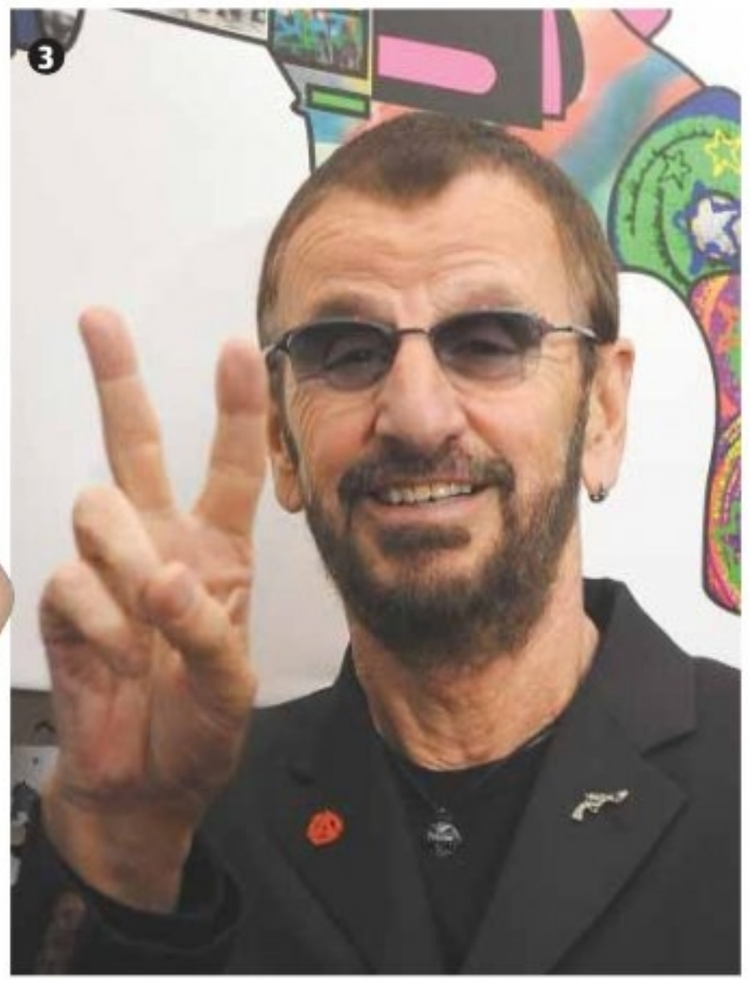

What we really, really want

1 **Adrien Brody** was wearing the hell out of this suit at Milan Fashion Week yesterday.

2 **Cillian Murphy** and his icy zombie eyes were at the "Red Lights" premiere in New York Monday night.

3 **Ringo Starr** was keeping the peace at a gallery exhibit of his pop art Monday in New York.

4 People of the world: Yesterday, **The Spice Girls** hosted a press conference in London to announce "Viva Forever," a new musical based on their songs.

5 **Blake Lively** raised the bombshell bar at the "Savages" premiere in Hollywood Monday night.

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Find the suit that suits you

A healthier approach to swimsuit shopping ◗ Start with confidence, add ruffles ◗ And don't forget a hat

This summer, instead of squeezing yourself into an itsy-bitsy number designed for a cartoon princess, take the time to find a bathing suit that works for your body. "You will find it," says Audrey Jimenez, a style and fit expert with Everything But Water. Ultimately, she says, the right suit is the one that makes you feel confident. "You need to wear the swimsuit that you feel most comfortable in and most beautiful in," she tells us. "If you feel insecure, it's just not right for you." We asked her for tips on common hard-to-fit areas.

Flatter your tummy

Shirring will smooth over any concerns you have about your belly. "Shirring minimizes the appearance of the tummy," says Jimenez. "It provides tummy-control, if you will."

Ralph Lauren top, $101; bottom, $59

Try a ruched tankini, which can be more convenient than a one-piece. Make sure that the bottom of your tankini top meets the top of your bikini bottom. If it doesn't, you've got the wrong size.

Create some balance

"Accentuate the opposite," advises Jimenez. "If you don't like your bottom, wear ruffles, embellishments or a plunging top to draw the eye upward. You can also wear something asymmetrical. Likewise with a larger bust that you'd like to deaccentuate: Wear a solid top and a ruffled or string-tie bottom." A colorful one-piece can also work. "Bright colors bring everything together, proportionately speaking."

Miraclesuit one-piece, $150

Don't go out overexposed

Skip the boy shorts, which can add width to your hips, and try a feminine skirted bottom, instead. Prefer a more traditional shape? Don't just go for a larger size. "You might need a suit that offers more coverage in a smaller size," Jimenez suggests. "Going up in a size doesn't guarantee more coverage. If the sides of your tush are hanging out, that could be the style of the suit."

Swim Systems top, $72; bottom, $80

Ralph Lauren bottom, $45

Avoid the muffin top

To avoid being squeezed around the middle, find bottoms that don't sit too high or too low. Jimenez also recommends a banded bottom. "Banded bottoms are known for reducing and minimizing muffin top because they lay flat. If it's digging in, then you have on the wrong size."

Support your bust

"Bust support is the No. 1 problem that women come to me with," says Jimenez, who adds that larger-busted women don't necessarily need underwire. Instead, she recommends a banded halter top or a double-stringed bikini. "This is similar to what you're used to, but with a little more support — and it looks fun. The double-tie in the back is really pretty."

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Soul legend Bobby Womack releases his first album in more than 15 years with the help of Blur and Gorillaz frontman Damon Albarn

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'The Bravest Man in the Universe'

Bobby Womack has seen it all. He started his career in the '60s, collaborating first with Sam Cooke, then with everyone from Ray Charles to Aretha Franklin to Jimi Hendrix. His solo career took off in the '70s, and the material he released then has made an indelible, if underappreciated, mark on pop music. But after a few unsuccessful albums released in the '80s and '90s, and some time in rehab, Womack had all but given up on his life as an artist.

Thankfully, his talents did not go unnoticed by Damon Albarn, whose collaborative brain-children have included Blur, Gorillaz and The Good, The Bad and The Queen. After having Womack add guest vocals to a few Gorillaz tracks, Albarn approached the soul singer about doing a full-length album. Though apprehensive, Womack agreed to go into the studio.

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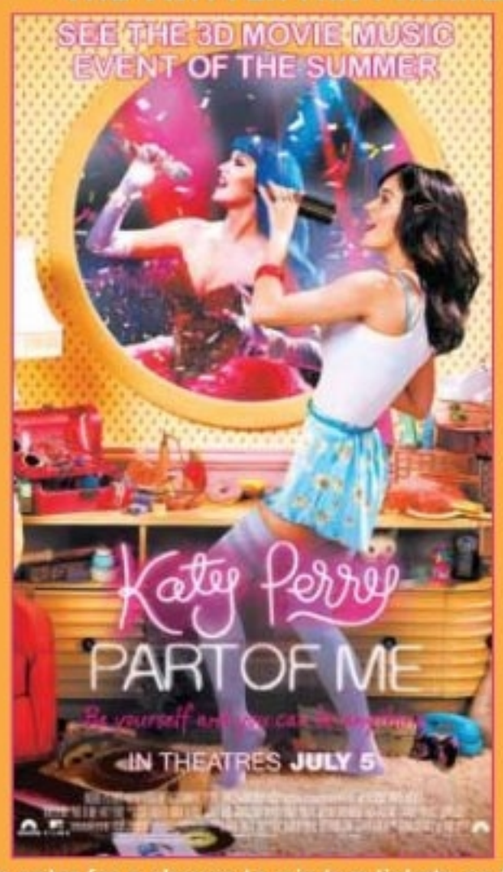

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up my guitar for a long time," Womack says. "Plus, I had walked away from drugs completely, so that's like a whole new life — I found out I couldn't fit in because all I knew was a bunch of druggies, whether they were musicians or what. ... They was too paranoid to be around me."

Womack and Albarn settled into a comfortable collaborative relationship, which produced an album in record time.

"I've never cut an album this quick," Womack says. "What Damon Albarn would do, he would start playing a track and once he played that track I'd say, 'Man that sounds like me. I can do this.' And he said, 'OK, we'll do it' and I'd jump on the song and before I knew it, the song was finished. He had a nice way of approaching me. He let me do what I wanted to do. It was a creator talking to a creator — the things that [I had been] afraid to try, I wasn't afraid to try with him."

And so the world now has "The Bravest Man in the Universe" — Womack's first album of original material in more than 15 years, with featured collaborations with Lana Del Rey and Malian singer Fatoumata Diawara. Albarn's electro-beat imprint is apparent — and will serve to draw new and younger listeners in — but Womack's thoughtful soul is at the heart of the record.

"I love the fact that I have something to say," says Womack "And I'm going to say it. And I think the best way to say it is on this new album."

Touchdown

At 68, Womack has said goodbye to many of his former collaborators, but his new album is in part a tribute to them. Womack has recently struggled with colon and prostate cancer, and mortality weighs heavily on the singer today.

"I wonder what a lot of these artists would be thinking at the time of their death," he says. "They put me in charge and I feel like that — the last old man standing. I say, let me say something to wake these people up to how fortunate they were to have the Wilson Picketts, the Sam Cookes, Ray Charleses and so many other superstars. They gave me the football, and I'm running with it."

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'Final Witness'

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'The Real World: St. Thomas'

REALITY. Different city, same hot tub puke fest. **Season premiere, 10 p.m., MTV**

'Royal Pains'

DRAMA. The return of Hank and Evan's dad (Henry Winkler) is likely to prolong the estranged brothers' reconciliation. **9 p.m., USA** AMBER RAY

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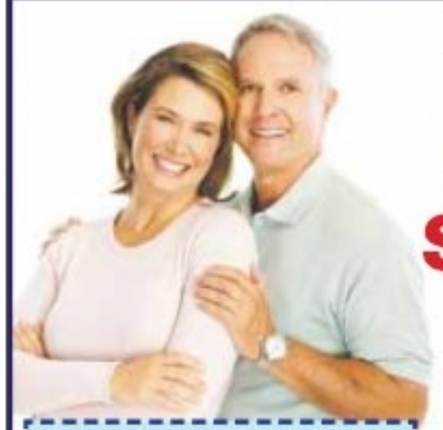

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Bug and tick bites: Most insect bites are more annoying than harmful, and the itching can be managed with over-the-counter antihistamines. Don't scratch, as bites can become infected from breaks in the skin. Following any exposure to a wooded or grassy area, inspect yourself and pets carefully for ticks and tick bites. Lyme disease can result in a red rash that looks like a bull's-eye, but only in half the cases; any round, blotchy, red rash in the summer should be evaluated. Lyme disease can be cured with antibiotics.

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▶ Stay safe during your summer travels.

Swimmer's ear: Swimmer's ear is an infection of the outer ear canal. Water becomes trapped in the ear and bacteria overgrow, causing a painful inflammation. Try to get all the water out of your ears after swimming, and consult your physician ASAP if you develop ear pain or a discharge from the ear.

Poison ivy: The first step in managing poison ivy is avoiding it, so be familiar with its appearance if you plan outdoor activities. If you or a family member develops an itchy rash after an outing, make sure you wash all skin surfaces, including under the fingernails, as well as all clothing and shoes with soap and water. Antihistamines and hydrocortisone cream can treat the itch — but if the poison ivy is severe, oral steroids may be needed.

Heat illness

Heat illness is a spectrum of conditions ranging from mild symptoms like heat exhaustion to heat stroke, in which there is a failure of your body's ability to regulate temperature, causing damage to your cardiovascular and central nervous systems.

Drink, drink and drink (water and/or sports drinks, that is)! Avoid alcoholic, carbonated and caffeinated beverages, as these can increase the likelihood of dehydration and interfere with body temperature regulation. If you start to feel faint, nauseated or have a headache, go in an air-conditioned building — or into the shade if AC isn't available — and drink a cool beverage. The objective is to avoid progressing to heat stroke, which requires hospitalization.

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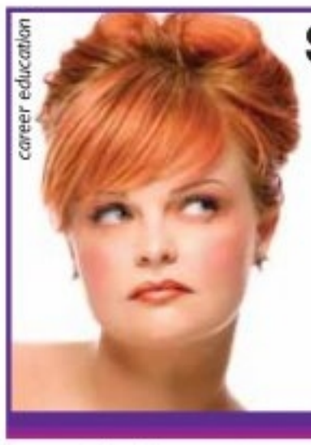

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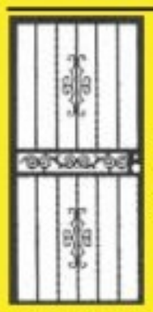

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How to protect your eyes this summer — and beyond

- What you can do now to stave off problems later
- An ophthalmologist's advice for choosing sunglasses

According to the 2012 update of the "Vision Problems in the U.S." report, a study released this month by Prevent Blindness America and the National Eye Institute, the number of those ages 40 and older with vision impairment and blindness has increased 23 percent since the year 2000. The study, conducted by researchers from Johns Hopkins University, provides prevalence rates and estimates cases of age-related eye conditions.

"It's all relative," says Dr. Robert Noecker of Ophthalmic Consultants in Connecticut. "The increase is also due to the population getting older and to the growing diabetes epidemic. If you live long enough, everyone is going to get cataracts."

"Most damage comes from UV light, and summertime increases the risk."
DR. NOECKER

The trick is keeping eyes healthy for as long as possible.

"You can do a lot to delay the onset of cataracts and avoid macular degeneration and basal cell carcinoma growths on the eyelids," advises Dr. Noecker. "Most damage comes from UV light, and summertime increases the risk. Always wear sunglasses and add a hat, too."

Choosing the right sunglasses is important: "Choose large sunglasses that cover the eyeballs and skin around the eye. If you buy them at the drugstore, choose the ones that have UVA/UVB blocking stickers on them to make sure they have the correct protective coating. The tint of the lens is not so important; that's usually to do with fashion. Darker glasses are helpful for people who have sensitive eyes. It's the correct coating that's important."

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▶ She's smiling because she knows her eyes are protected behind those sunnies.

The eyes have it

Dr. Noecker teaches us about unsightly common eye ailments.

- **Styes:** "They form when the oil glands on the edge of the eyelid clogs or become infected. Styes are becoming more common due to the American or Western diet. Eating more saturated fats causes the oil to thicken and not flow."
- **Dry eyes:** "Eyes become drier with age when we produce less tears. But in the summer, eyes can dry out due to wind or dehydration. Also, if the oil glands aren't working properly, eyes dry because it's the oil spreading over the eye that keeps tears from evaporating."
- **Pink eye (conjunctivitis):** "This is a viral infection and is more common at certain times of the year, usually winter. It's extremely contagious because the virus can live on, say, a doorknob for up to five days: That's how it spreads through families and workplaces so easily. Hygiene is key."

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Re: Economy needs more attention

President Obama cannot fix the economy all by himself. Republicans need to wrap that around their heads. Radical conservatism is a bit of an oxymoron, no? Should Mitt Rom-No miraculously win the election, I'd expect to see a new medication hit the market called, "R-Me." Take two for relief of hidden agendas. Side effects can be loss of life, loss of limb, loss of any or all five senses, PTSD and a worsened economy. Before you take this medication, consult your Bush for directions.

DANIEL GREEN, VIA E-MAIL

The person who wrote this letter completely disregards the fact that the Republicans in Congress have shot down every attempt by Obama to jump-start the economy (Jobs Act). He also states that women should return to their "former duties" so men can fill those jobs. "Former duties"? That's Republican code for "barefoot and pregnant." A female republican voter is like a slave who fought for the confederacy.

ROBERT LAROSA, VIA E-MAIL

Finally, someone has come up with a plan to rid this country of its economic ills! Getting rid of immigrants would provide jobs for Americans clamoring to pick fruits and vegetables for long hours and little pay. Housekeeping and child care jobs could be eliminated if only women were out of the workforce and back in the home where they belong. Finally, it is apparent that no one has tried hard enough to encourage the private sector to hire people instead of holding on to money and outsourcing jobs to other countries. Maybe we could try saying "pretty please with sugar on it."

LINDA WHITTAKER, VIA E-MAIL

Women should "return to their former duties"? If he knows how to fix the economy so easily, maybe he should run for president. He surely won't win with such ludicrous ideas.

ROCHELLE ELLIS, VIA E-MAIL

Bradley Manning worth the coverage

I'm writing to call on your paper for increased coverage of the Pfc. Bradley Manning's trial.

Manning, who has been accused of leaking the largest document dump in U.S. history to WikiLeaks, will be in Fort Meade for a pre-trial hearing on July 16 and currently faces 23 charges, including one of "aiding the enemy." If convicted, he faces a sentence of life imprisonment.

Despite more than 760 days in pretrial confinement, many media outlets have been too silent on Manning's case, allowing the government's mistreatment of him to continue in near-secrecy.

A reckless, opaque conviction for Pfc. Manning could have dire consequences for future whistleblowers, journalists and activists. Because of this, the media must do its part to engage the American public in a conversation about this trial and our government's behavior before it's too late.

I ask that you do your part and increase coverage of the Bradley Manning trial, beginning with his hearing on July 16.

CLAYTON FOSTER, VIA E-MAIL

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Horoscope

♋ Cancer **June 21-July 22.** If you have any hope of resolving a domestic problem that arises, you must take a firm position and stand by it. Being wishy-washy would only worsen the situation.

♌ Leo **July 23-Aug. 22.** Being fair-minded and unbiased is required if you hope to win others over to your point of view. Trying to force the issue would have an opposite effect.

♍ Virgo **Aug. 23-Sept. 22.** Because you should be able to clearly perceive the difference between what is essential spending and what isn't, this is a good day to get a handle on your budget.

♎ Libra **Sept. 23-Oct. 23.** An objective that is of utmost personal importance might not be so vital for some of the others involved. The only way you'll get what you want is to break away and work independently.

♏ Scorpio **Oct. 24-Nov. 22.** Although you may appear to be in your own world, you'll be hard at work weighing and balancing critical issues that will make or break your plans.

♐ Sagittarius **Nov. 23-Dec. 21.** This is not a good day to talk shop or to try to promote a special interest when in a social setting. Your friends are far more interested in having fun.

♑ Capricorn **Dec. 22-Jan. 19.** Try as you might, it could be difficult for you to escape the scrutiny of others. Whether you like it or not, your public image is being assessed by some rather severe critics.

♒ Aquarius **Jan. 20-Feb. 19.** You should trade on your past experiences instead of totally ignoring them. If you don't, you could be tempted to attempt something that didn't work out too well last time.

♓ Pisces **Feb. 20-March 20.** You should know that you would derive the greatest of pleasure from engaging in shared activities. If you decide to play a loner's role, this will be just another humdrum day.

♈ Aries **March 21-April 19.** Because the needs and requirements of those with whom you're involved are too restrictive, you may start to look for a way out. Try to do so as pleasantly as possible.

♉ Taurus **April 20-May 20.** Make sure you have the necessary tools, materials and time before tackling a big project. If any one of these things is missing, chances are the job will never be finished.

♊ Gemini **May 21-June 20.** Activities that include elements of friendly competition will be highly appealing to you, which is all well and good. However, if at all possible, keep wagers out of the picture.

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1 Vanquish
7 Jigger
10 Make haste slowly?
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15 "So that's it!"
16 Orchid-loving Wolfe
17 Gather
18 Remind too often
19 Carnival
20 Leathery fruit
23 "Luck of the Draw" singer
26 Parisian street
27 Battery's "+" end
28 WWW addresses
29 Curly's friend
30 Baby beaver
31 52, for Caesar
32 Seed vessel
33 Fragrant firs
37 NASA counterpart
38 Caviar, actually
39 Had fries
40 Casual farewell
41 Cardinal
43 __ Beatty of films
44 Lillie or Arthur
45 Do something with
46 Family nickname
47 Crocus "bulb"
48 Pile up, as wealth
51 Helium or neon
52 Easy mark
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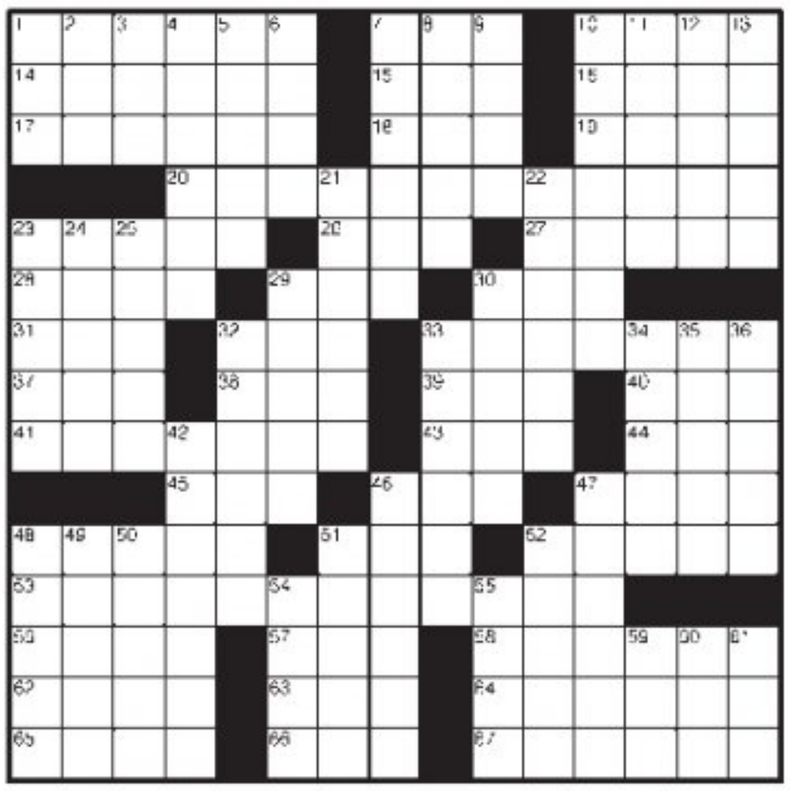

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11 Groovy
12 Reacted to onions
13 Neighsayer?
21 Wore away
22 Fastened permanently
23 Pencil-box item
24 Crop up
25 Homer opus
29 Lone Ranger portrayer
30 Smith and Winslet
32 Prim and proper
33 Exile
34 Prior's superior
35 Fort __, Fla.
36 Wrinkled
42 Greyhound, e.g. (2 wds.)
46 Got fresh
47 Bungalow
48 Banded quartz
49 Sentimental
50 Bachelor's last stop
51 "Ninotchka" star
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54 "Kapow!"
55 Black-hearted
59 New England catch
60 Pilot's dir.
61 Cave, perhaps

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SUDOKU **LEVEL: HARD**

How to play Sudoku: Fill in the grid so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

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Solution to Tuesday's crossword

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▶ Chase Utley is expected back at Citizens Bank Park tonight. Ryan Howard is shooting to return after the All-Star break.

Getting to the heart of the Phils' matter

Utley expected today, Howard after All-Star break
Offense expects boost Manuel excited for returns

Chase Utley started at second base and batted third last night for Triple-A Lehigh Valley. He's expected back in the Phillies' lineup tonight at Citizens Bank Park.

"Getting him back is big for us in the clubhouse," skipper Charlie Manuel said. "It's big for us just to have him on our team."

Utley's first at-bat was uneventful, a fly out, then the All-Star singled and homered for the IronPigs. The Phillies' minor league affiliate sold out Coca-Cola Park in Allentown and the fans gave Utley a standing ovation when he stepped to the plate.

ON TV TODAY

Pirates at Phillies, 7:05 p.m. (CSN)

That's one-half of the heart of Manuel's lineup. And the team also received good news yesterday about the other half. Ryan Howard is returning to Philadelphia today for "functional testing" on his left Achilles tendon. If he passes testing, Howard will begin a rehab assignment with Single-A Lakewood tomorrow.

"I talked to Ryan and he's been doing real good," Manuel told reporters. "He's looking forward to when he can come back. From the looks of things it'll be right after the All-Star break. He's feeling real good."

Manuel added that Howard is still running with a little limp. Howard has been on the DL since the season started. He underwent Achilles surgery in October, then suffered a setback due to an infection.

"He feels like he's getting there," Manuel said. "He's very positive about where he's at."

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Camping out

Eagles release camp schedule

Rookies and selected veterans will report to Lehigh University on July 22 to start 2012 training camp.

The first full-team practice is slated for July 26 (closed to fans) and camp wraps up on Aug. 14 at Lehigh.

Unlike in previous years, the main practice will be in the afternoon, with the morning serving as a walk-through.

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Predicting the Sixers draft

- The Sixers hold the No. 15 overall pick in tomorrow night's NBA Draft.
- Rumors are flying that they might trade up (maybe trade Andre Iguodala). But GM Rod Thorn shot those down yesterday, saying, "I don't see us moving up."
- Here are three guys that could be there and make sense when they pick:

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▶ If PJ3 is there when the Sixers pick at No. 15, they might just walk away with the steal of the entire draft.

1 John Henson, PF, North Carolina. Henson is not an NBA player yet. He's 6-foot-10, but weighs just 216 pounds and recorded a pathetic five reps of 185 pounds on the bench press at the NBA combine. Still, Henson averaged 9.9 rebounds and 2.9 blocks in the ACC last season. Lots of defensive upside.

2 Perry Jones III, PF, Baylor. One of the most naturally gifted players in the draft is sinking like a stone due to questions about his motor. It's the same kind of whispers we heard about Lavoy Allen, and look how that turned out for the Sixers. If the versatile Jones is there at No. 15, there won't be a more talented player on the board.

3 Terrence Jones, SG/SF, Washington. The Sixers' inability to score the basketball last season eventually wore coach Doug Collins down. Jones is a pure scorer that made 2.1 treys per game last season on his way to 16.4 points per night. Think Jodie Meeks but infinitely more athletic and much longer.

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Hoppenot sparking Union bench, could be draft steal

Rookie beginning to emerge offensively Scored game-winner June 5 in US Open Cup play Added first MLS goal last weekend at PPL Park

Fifty players were selected in the MLS Supplemental Draft before the Union plucked forward Antoine Hoppenot with the 51st pick on Feb. 21.

How in the world did that happen?

"Hey, you know what, I was just happy to get drafted," Hoppenot said. "I knew when I got to the Union's camp, I had to work hard and show what I could do. The coaches showed so much confidence in me. When my name is called, I give it everything. That's the way I've always played."

The 5-foot-8, 155-pound Hoppenot has been a major spark off the Union bench this season, especially in a recent stretch of games.

Hoppenot scored the game-winning goal in the opening minute of extra time to lift the Union over D.C. United in the fourth round of the U.S. Open Cup on June 5. The rookie added his first goal in league action in a 4-0 win over Sporting Kansas City last Saturday.

"It was just a matter of time before Antoine started scoring goals," said midfielder Freddy Adu. "He's so fast and he has a knack for being in the right place in the right time. He's scrappy. I think he annoys everyone and I mean that in the best way possible. He fights and scraps for everything. He's a hungry player and that goes a long way."

Hoppenot scored 26 goals and added 15 assists on his way to becoming a three-time first-team, All-Ivy League pick at Princeton. He was ranked 20th on the Top Drawer Soccer Men's National Top 100 list as a senior.

Despite strong credentials, Hoppenot went overlooked by virtually every club in Major League Soccer. All he needed was one club to take a chance and he couldn't be happier with his destination.

"Coming to the Union was a blessing being so close to Princeton," Hoppenot said. "I also knew I had to play well. It's been a great experience and I'm excited about this season and my future."

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Welcome

Union introduced Bakary Soumare yesterday.

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▶ Antoine Hoppenot was the 51st pick in the MLS Supplemental Draft. He's logging valuable minutes for the Union off the bench.

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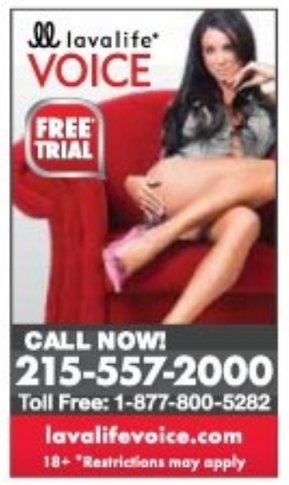

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"We're coming up on our fifth anniversary in NoLibs this September, and we love being part of a neighborhood that truly supports local businesses, designers and artists. Our neighbors really seem to see the value in supporting small, independent business like ours."

ALI MCCLOUD, OWNER OF SECOND STREET'S ARCADIA BOUTIQUE

When Norrinda Brown Hayat signed the lease for a small storefront just off Second Street in Northern Liberties eight years ago, she was taking a considerable risk. Developer Bart Blatstein's Liberties Walk was far from the bustling strip it is today, and the neighborhood was only beginning to show signs that it would happily, enthusiastically support a cupcake bakery.

Today, Brown Betty Dessert Boutique has moved on from its original location, but stayed in the neighborhood for the same reasons it began there.

"I think it's great that the area became what people thought it could become," says Hayat, who founded Brown Betty with her mother. "We wanted to stay in the real food, real people atmosphere. And for the amount of space we got — Northern Liberties is still one of the best places in the city for affordable space."

Like Brown Betty, gallery and boutique Art Star was one of the original anchors of Liberties Walk and stayed in the neighborhood after relocating to a larger space. "I feel like the people that live in NoLibs are really invested in their neighborhood and know how important it is to support all of us," says Art Star co-owner Megan Brewster. "We have met so many amazing families — many of whom are now dear friends. They are a huge part of why we have been able to thrive in this neighborhood, especially in the early days, when foot traffic was slow."

This mix of local businesses and connected residents is what originally attracted Matt Ruben to the area 12 years ago. Today, he's president of the Northern Liberties Neighborhood Association; and while the area certainly doesn't suffer from lack of foot traffic, he thinks it maintained its charm. "It's got that really great Philadelphia combination of a tight neighborhood where people really look out for each other and new and exciting people," he says. "I have this neighborhood experience, and I'm a couple blocks from Standard Tap. Of course there are people who like living right on top of where the action is, and there's plenty of room to do that, too."

NoLibs real estate by the numbers

- Average home listing price: $409,235
- Average price per square foot: $256
- Homes for sale: 233
- Homes in foreclosure: 44

Source: Trulia.com

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▶ Residents soak up some early summer sun at the Piazza at Schmidt's.

On the market

Northern Liberties resident and realtor Chris Somers has been selling properties in the area for almost a decade and has watched the popular market explode, implode and begin to settle down.

"The area went through a huge real estate cycle as far as home prices in 2004, 2005 and 2006. It was the highest-appreciating zip code in Philadelphia. As a result, when the market starts to flatten out, Northern Liberties has still done well and been stable. But the people who purchased in '06, '07, even '05, they're not sitting pretty, either."

- As for the high-profile murders at the Piazza at Schmidt's, Somers says it is a concern for some buyers, but it's not a new problem or one unique to Northern Liberties. "I think it's always been a concern even if you go back to 10 years ago, just like any other neighborhood. To some extent, Northern Liberties does get much more media attention for the tragic, violent crimes that occur in the area. But the majority of the crimes that happen here are your typical car break-ins."

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▶ Four-legged residents are an important part of NoLibs, too. The good people behind popular Liberties Walk pet store Chic Petique recently opened Street Tails Animal Rescue in a nearby storefront.

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Best bets for NoLibs dining

Cantina Dos Segundos
931 N. Second St.
Fabulous authentic Mexican dishes and a great ambiance; low lighting and a good crowd with the ability to still hold a conversation with your dining partners. Get the mahi mahi tacos or enchiladas! Good Mexican is hard to come by, but this place hits the spot! **ALIE A.**

Koo Zee Doo
614 N. Second St.

Koo Zee Doo is amazing and perfect. I would have never picked this place myself, but luckily I got invited to a birthday party here and was introduced to all that is good in the world of Portuguese food. We started out with a bunch of appetizers, all of which were delicious. I even got conned into eating chicken gizzards, which were surprisingly good. **LIZ F.**

Sonata
1030 N. American St.
Great little BYOB in Northern Liberties that you might just walk by and not notice unless you were looking for it. I came here with my boyfriend after reading some good reviews on Yelp. I will say, whoever said they wanted to make love to their Jerusalem artichoke soup, I second that! It was soooo good. By far the best soup I've ever had, and I never get excited about soup. **MANDY H.**

Dmitri's
944 N. Second St.
I've dined here a bunch of times now and have never been disappointed. Dmitri's is where you go for fresh, simply prepared seafood done right. Service is always quick and friendly. **BRI H.**

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